

R. R. Telegraphers Convene.
SAVANNAH, Ga., May 19.—The Order of Railroad Telegraphers' convention here yesterday decided to hold conventions at three-year periods, instead of every two years as at present. Officers will be elected also for three years, the election here to take place Friday. The convention expects to adjourn Saturday.

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Society

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A CHRONICLE OF EVENTS
WITH SIDE LIGHTS ON THE MEN
AND WOMEN WHO MAKE UP
WASHINGTON'S COMPLEX AND
INTERESTING SOCIAL LIFE

FROM the time the first guests arrived until the Marine Band played "The End of a Perfect Day"—three times—President and Mrs. Harding's first garden party was a huge success. The first big entertainment given at the White House during the present Administration, every detail was of interest to the assembled guests, and all were enthusiastic over the way in which the dignity and staidness of the usual White House function was tempered by the kindly cordiality which marks all of President and Mrs. Harding's relationships in public or private life.

Fifteen hundred and thirty-seven persons—by official count—enjoyed the hospitality of the President and Mrs. Harding. The guests, entering by the east door, made their way through the small formal garden south of the mansion to the great tree, beneath which President and Mrs. Harding stood to welcome the company.

It was there that Mrs. Roosevelt used to receive when, after a lapse of years, she revived the garden parties famous in Dolly Madison's day and where President and Mrs. Wilson used also to greet their guests.

Colonel Clarence O. Sherrill, the President's aide, made the introductions and the junior aides of the army, navy and marine corps were on duty to look after the comfort of the guests.

REFLECTED IN THE FOUNTAIN.
The refreshment tables, with their lovely burden of early summer flowers, were spread under a gay red and white striped marquee. The scarlet coats of the Marine Band, stationed half way down the smooth slope of the lawn, made an effective splash of color, which was reflected in the far-flung spray of the fountain. The towns of the women were gay and colorful in the extreme and the uniforms of many of the men present gave an added touch of the picturesque to the scene.

Both the President and Mrs. Harding have genius for bringing the personal element into their greeting and they won all hearts by the friendliness of their manner.

Mrs. Harding passed on the word to many of the younger guests that there was dancing in the East Room. This information took a part of the company back to the mansion by way of the Marine Band, to find that state apartments all open and decorated in flowers.

In the East Room the Navy Band played through the reception. The dancing continued until after 7 o'clock, the President and Mrs.

Harding joining the company there after leaving the garden and themselves dancing a few times round the great room. The First Lady wore a strikingly handsome and becoming gown of ecru point applique lace made over a foundation of jade green crepe, with effective touches of black and a black satin girdle. The lace of the bodice was arranged to form a high wired collar at the back and rolled back in front to disclose a deep U-shaped opening filled in with ecru tulle. Mrs. Harding's hat was of black bereshaire braid trimmed in paradise and she wore black hose, black satin buckled slippers and long white gloves. Her only jewels were a string of pearls and the diamond slide on the black velvet band which she always wears about her throat.

Some strikingly lovely gowns were noted, many of them brilliant in hue so that looking down from the south portico, they gave the effect of a giant flower bed. Miss Frances Hoar's simple gown of flaming orange crepe de chine, made with the short skirt and the long pleated side panels, out in points, which are so popular in Paris just now, stood out in high relief, and so did Miss Louise Delano's Batik gown—patterned in blue and green against an orange background. Miss Floy Barnhart's jade green costume worn with a gay green hat and a long scarf of green tulle was equally striking.

Mrs. Jusserand and Mrs. Hughes, who returned to the East Room to watch the dancers, wore, respectively, dark blue silk with small hat to match, and gray crepe de chine embroidered in large detached motifs in black silk, with henna ostrich hat. Miss Alisa Mellon, who accompanied her father, the Secretary of the Treasury, wore a very modish gown of gray crepe de chine. Mrs. Gillett, wife of the Speaker of the House, had on a smart black silk gown in draped model, with black picture hat.

FIRST OF THREE.

The garden party was the first of a series of three. The second will be given on Thursday, May 26, and the last on Wednesday, June 1. The guests yesterday included the chiefs of diplomatic missions, many persons prominent in official life, one-third of the Senate and the House and many distinguished men and women from resident society. The White House calling list being divided alphabetically.

Among the guests one noted the Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes, the French Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand, the Spanish Ambassador and Mrs. de Rianza, the Russian Ambassador, Mr. Bakmeteff, the Japanese Ambassador, Baron Shidehara; the Speaker of the House and Mrs. Gillett, with her daughters, the Misses Frances and Louise Hoar, and Miss Hoar's fiancé, Reginald



MRS. JAMES CARROLL FRAZER.
A member of the pageantry committee of the Community Service, which is putting on "Midsummer Night's Dream" at the Dean Place next Tuesday for the benefit of the Community Service.

Foster, of Boston; Attorney General Daugherty, the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Denby, Mrs. Wallace, wife of the Secretary of Agriculture; Maj. Gen. and Mrs. George Barnett, Senator and Mrs. Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, Senator and Mrs. Harry New, Senator and Mrs. Arthur Capper, Congressman Joseph G. Cannon, Miss Helen Cannon, Mrs. James F. Barbour, Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Davis, and Mrs. Mabel Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Woodbury Blair and Mrs. Cromwell Brooks.

Others present were the Director of the Consular Service and Mrs. Wilbur Carr, the American Minister to Switzerland and Mrs. Hampton Gary, the Third Assistant Secretary of State, Robert Woods Bliss, the Counselor of the Russian Embassy and Mme. de Bach, Capt. Carlo Huntington of the Italian embassy staff, Capt. C. J. Henry of the British embassy staff, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Dewey, the Comptroller of the Currency and Mrs. Crissinger, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stock, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Judson C. Welliver, Mrs. John Snure, Miss Talbot, Mrs. Cromwell Brooks, Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Glazebrook, Mrs. Elizabeth Gaines Smith, Mrs. F. Eugene Ackerman, New York; Miss Mabel Adams, Mrs. Delos Blodgett, Miss Mona Blodgett, Dr. and Mrs. Mitchell Carroll, Dr. and Mrs. Charles J. Bell, Robert Bell, Roger Tredwell, Mrs. Arthur Buxton, Miss Josie Tredwell, Major R. M. Foster, Mrs. Charles P. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. William Whiting Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Addison, Mrs. J. Ryan Devereux, Capt. David St. P. Gaillard, Capt. and Mrs. C. C. Calhoun, Mrs. Medora Crawford, Mrs. Charles Boughton Wood, Mrs. James Carroll Frazer, Miss O. J. Hemphill, Col. and Mrs. David Porter, Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Aspinwall, Congressman and Mrs. Philip Campbell, Gen. and Mrs. Charles B. Drake, Miss Barrine Drake, Col. and Mrs. Clarence Day, Mr. and Mrs. David Barry, G. Thomas Dunlop, Mr. and Mrs. John Joy Edson, Cuthbert B. Brown, Mrs. G. W. Brown, Miss Anne Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Davidge, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Chapin, Miss Maria Chapin and Fred Chapin, Jr., Bowie Clark, Mme. Soyex, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Armat, Miss Alice Hutchesin Drake, Mrs. Randolph Hopkins.

Miss Helen Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clay East, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Beck and Miss Beatrice Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lamb, Mrs. Marshall Field and Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson.

REVIEW AT FORT MYER.

The President and Mrs. Harding, accompanied by the Secretary of War and Mrs. Wainwright, Maj. Gen. Peyton C. March, U. S. A., Maj. Gen. Anson Mills, U. S. A., Maj. Gen. Chamberlain, U. S. A., Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Willard Holbrook, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Snow, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. C. E. Sawyer, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. George Barnett, Rear Admiral Presley Rixie, U. S. N., Mrs. Julian James, Mrs. Charles B. Wood, Dr. and Mrs. Davenport White, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vrooman and Rear Admiral and Mrs. Arthur Capper, Col. W. C. Rivers, commandant of the post, and Mrs. Rivers acted as hosts in the reviewing stand.

COOLIDGE OFF FOR N. Y.

Vice President Coolidge left town this morning for New York to attend the dinner to be given in honor of Mme. Curie by the National Institute of Science. The Vice President will make the presentation address when a gold medal is conferred upon the distinguished woman scientist.

PREZENTS TO ENTERTAIN.

The Ambassador of Peru and Mme. Pezet will entertain fifty guests at dinner tonight at the Pan-American Union in honor of the Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes, the dinner preceding the unveiling of the bust of Dr. Hipolito Unzué, founder of Peru. The presentation of the bust has been presented to the Pan American Union by the government of Peru. It will be unveiled by Mme. Pezet, the Ambassador making the presentation and will be formally received by Secretary Hughes acting as chairman of the governing board of the Pan American Union. Some 500 guests have been asked to witness the ceremony and will remain afterward to dance.

The dinner will be given in the patio at the Pan American Building, the table being arranged about the fountain.

Princess Cantacuzene will come to Washington about June 1 and will visit Mrs. Frederick Thompson at Canandaigua, N. Y. She is sailing on June 15 for South America to join her son-in-law and daughter, the Italian Minister to Venezuela and Mme. Catalani, who have just arrived at their new post.

MISS JONES WEDS.

Miss Nancy Gordon Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordon Jones, will be married this afternoon to William Gouverneur Barnewell, of New York. The ceremony, which will take place at 8 o'clock at the Washington Club, and the informal reception afterward will be attended by the relatives of the bride and bridegroom and a small company of close friends.

Miss Jones will be given in marriage by her father, and will be at (Continued on Page Fifteen.)

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9:15
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—Friday Priced From

\$3.95 to \$8.50

Kann's—Second Floor.

Semi-Made Skirtings of Voile and Net

—These are made with hemstitched tucks, and one style has tucks forming squares. The colors are white, black, Copenhagen, tan and orchid. \$3.00 to \$3.50 values, a yard, **\$1.79.**

Kann's—Street Floor.

Military Braid in Black Only

—For trimming dresses, suits, coats; also in the wider widths is suitable for making the new style sashes.
—These braids range in width from 1/2 to 4 inches, and in price, a yard, from **12 1/2c to \$2.50.**

Kann's—Street Floor.

Handkerchiefs Priced for Clearance

—Women's Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, letters C, F, G, J, R, T, W only. Regularly 25c.

Friday, 2 for 25c

—Women's Sheer Imported Mull Handkerchiefs, with colored initials. Letters L, N, S, T. Regularly 25c.

Friday, 2 for 25c

—Women's Sheer Lawn Embroidered Handkerchiefs, one corner embroidered in white and colors. Regularly 12 1/2c and 15c.

Friday, 6 for 50c

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75c Quality

Friday, a Yard..... **55c**

—Fine mercerized quality. 58 inches wide; good heavy weight and will give sturdy wear.

—Cotton Huck Towels, size 18x36 inches; good heavy weight, plain white band border.

Special, Each 15c

Kann's—Street Floor.

Fancy Work

At Friday's Special Prices

—Cretone Pillows, all filled and covered with fine quality crettonne. Square and round shapes. Each..... **89c**

—Children's Rompers, ready made and stamped. In blue, pink and tan. Sizes 2 and 4 years. \$2.00 value **\$1.00** for.....

—Children's Dresses, stamped in rose, blue, tan and white. Large sizes Special, **\$1.00** each.....

—15-Piece Luncheon Sets, stamped in good designs. **50c** Special.....

—36-in. Center Pieces, stamped in good design. **39c** Special.....

—White Scarfs, stamped in good designs. At..... **39c**

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—These include blouses of pongee, satin striped tub silk, georgette crepe and Jap silk.

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—Sizes 36 to 46.



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—But so very slight that the ordinary observer would fail to find them. Heavy, all linen rugs, in plain blue, rose, taupe, sand, chestnut, light blue, mole and grey, priced as follows:

\$54.50—9x12 ft. size, now..... **\$36.75**
\$41.00—8x10 ft. size, now..... **\$27.75**
\$28.00—6x9 ft. size, now..... **\$18.75**
\$18.85—4x7 1/2 ft. size, now..... **\$12.75**
\$10.00—3x6 ft. size, now..... **\$7.50**
\$6.00—27x54 in., now..... **\$4.00**

RAG RUGS—Special Demonstration
—All rugs made from clean, sanitary new fabrics. Rugs are from the Robert Cleeland Sons Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

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—Plain Colored Rugs, also hit and miss style, 9x12 ft. size, and a **\$9.95** 14.95 value. Friday.....

—Rag Rugs, in 4x7 ft. size, plain and hit and miss style, \$4.95 value, **\$2.95** at.....

—Plain Colored and hit and miss Rugs, in 36x54 in. and 36x72 in. sizes, choice..... **\$1.95**

25x50-inch size at..... **88c**

6x9-foot size at..... **\$5.85**

8x10-foot size at..... **\$8.47**

Demonstration and Sale—Street and Third Floors.

FURNITURE

SMALL LOTS FOR A BUSY FRIDAY

We have looked through the furniture stocks and selected many small lots, a few of a-kind—and these go into a rousing big clear-out sale tomorrow at prices away below factory cost—in every case. You cannot afford to miss such money-saving as this.

9 Baby Carriages—2 Lloyd's, 3 Bloch and 4 Gendron makes; floor samples; white and ecru finishes; corduroy lined bodies and hood; reversible frame; 2 sold for \$45.00, 2 for \$22.50, 2 for \$25.00 and \$35.00. For **\$12.50** Friday.....

12 Full Size White Enamel Steel Beds—2-inch posts with 1-inch fillers; perfect in every way; just close out patterns; selling all along for \$22.50, \$25.00 and \$35.00. For **\$12.50** Friday.....

12 Odd Beds—Left over from expensive suites; mahogany, American walnut and bird's-eye maple; mostly Queen Anne period models; all full size. Your choice..... **\$12.50**

1 4-Piece American Walnut Dining Room Suite—54-inch buffet, 6-ft. extension table, serving table and china closet. Sold for \$350.00; 4 pieces. Now..... **\$175.00**

Another 4-Piece Dining Room Suite—60-inch buffet, 48 in. by 6 ft. extension table, large china case and serving table; genuine American walnut; table top slightly imperfect; the suite sold formerly for \$550.00—**\$275.00** now.....

1 10-Piece Fumed Oak Dining Room Suite—60-inch buffet, 48-inch extension table, china case, serving table, 5 chairs, 1 arm chair; genuine leather seats; Adam period; **\$136.00** sold for \$275.00—now.....

4 Odd Buffets—Solid oak, Colonial period; 9x30-inch plate glass top with shelf; large linen drawer, cupboards and 2 top drawers; sold for twice the amount and more—**\$18.50** now.....

2 Golden Oak Buffets—Quartered and polished; 42 inches wide; very well constructed and finished; sold for \$75.00—**\$35.00** now.....

12 Odd Chiffoniers—Golden oak, 14x18-inch plate glass mirrors; 4 large drawers and 2 divided top drawers; sold for \$55.00—**\$16.98** now.....

3-Piece Old Ivory Bedroom Suite—Adam period; dresser, chiffonette and full size bed; sold with vanity dresser for \$395.00—**\$150.00** now.....

Extension Tables—Closing out of all floor samples of golden oak, platform base and 4 leg Colonial style; quartered and polished tops; mostly 48-inch tops; heavy 12 and 15-inch pedestals; 6 ft. extension:

\$48.00 Tables..... **\$29.50**
\$55.00 Tables..... **\$35.00**
\$60.00 Tables..... **\$37.50**
\$75.00 Tables..... **\$40.00**
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Only 14 Tables on sale, so come early.

Exactly 110 Dining Chairs—Heavy quartered oak stock; Colonial scroll legs, braced legs, fabric cord slip seats, wide panel back; these chairs sold for \$8.00 each; we discovered them in warehouse left from recent big furniture purchase; to close out now..... **\$3.75**

1 Odd Toilet Table—Triple swinging mirror; mahogany—now..... **\$22.50**

1 Odd Vanity Dresser—Four drawers, 14x40 inch plate glass mirror; American walnut; part of \$450.00 suite—now..... **\$59.00**

Several 3-Piece Bedroom Suites—Of American walnut and antique mahogany; consisting of dresser, chiffonette and semi-vanity toilets; high grade makes; large pieces; Queen Anne and Louis periods; sold for twice this price with the bed—now..... **\$195.00**

3-Piece Colonial Bedroom Suite, in antique mahogany; large dresser, chiffonier and toilet table with triple swinging mirror—**\$188.00** now.....

3-Piece Bird's-Eye Maple Suite—Queen Anne period; dresser, chiffonette and bow foot bed; sold with table for \$295.00—**\$150.00** now.....

1 Odd Large Cedar Chest—Perfect in every way but the lock; 45 inches wide; sold for \$40.00. Reduced price..... **\$19.75**

2 3-Piece Living Room Suites—Antique mahogany frames; upholstered in mulberry velvet, with loose cushions on rocker, chair and sofa; this suite sold until recently for **\$150.00** \$295.00—now.....

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